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informed. See Indiana Code § 5-14-1.5-1. Forty-eight (48) hours-notice of the meeting must precede commencement of the meeting.

The Open Door Law does not provide that a meeting place be in any particular location or at any particular time, only that the meeting be noticed 48-hours in advance and is accessible by the public. Many of the matters cited by the Complainants, including the location and meeting time, are matters of local governance and are not under the purview of this office. The Trustee has the discretion to conduct meetings at any time, location and manner as long as it does not impede public access. Holding a meeting during lunchtime in a nearby adjacent community does not violate the spirit nor the letter of the law.

CONCLUSION

Based on the foregoing, it is the Opinion of the Public Access Counselor the Indian Creek Township Trustee has not violated the Open Door Law.

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